Carlton railway station

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Coordinates: 52°57′52″N 1°04′47″W

For the railway station in Australia, see Carlton railway station, Sydney.

Carlton railway station serves the suburb of Carlton, Nottinghamshire, England. The station is 3 miles (5 km) east of Nottingham on the Nottingham to Lincoln Line operated by East Midlands Railway.

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History [edit source]

It opened on 3 August 1846.[1] The station was renamed from Carlton & Netherfield to Carlton on 6 May 1974.[2]

Stationmasters [edit source]

- Edward Black ca. 1861 - 1862
- W. Duddle 1862 - 1862
- R. Fox 1863 - 1866
- John Sawyer from 1866
- Owen Beldham ca. 1871 - 1872
- R. Grice 1872 - 1873
- John Bradshaw Bott 1874 - 1878
- Charles Smith 1878 - ca. 1887
- W.H. Turner 1892 - 1914[3]
- Charles Williams from 1914[4]
- C. Bywater 1926[5] - 1932 (formerly station master at Castlethorpe, afterwards station master at Nuneaton Abbey Street)
- William Gale ca. 1934 ca. 1939
- C.S. Barnard ca. 1950

Description [edit source]

The station has two staggered platforms, there is a level crossing on Victoria Road, hence the staggered platforms to minimise delay to road traffic, and Carlton's centre is a considerable distance further away than Netherfield's, but the nearby Netherfield railway station on the neighbouring Nottingham-Skegness line had already taken that name.

Service [edit source]

There is generally an hourly service from Carlton, with trains running westbound to Matlock via Nottingham and eastbound to Newark Castle with a few continuing to Lincoln Central at peak times and in the evening. There is a reduced service on Sundays.[6]

The station has a PlusBus scheme where train and bus tickets can be bought together for a cheaper price. It is in the same area as Beeston, Bulwell, Netherfield and Nottingham stations.

Carlton

Location	Carlton, Gedling England
Grid reference	SK619412
Managed by	East Midlands Railway
Platforms	2
Other information	
Station code	CTO
Classification	DfT category F2
History	
Original company	Midland Railway
Pre-grouping	Midland Railway
Post-grouping	London, Midland and Scottish Railway
Key dates	
3 August 1846	Opened as *Carlton*
1 November 1871	Renamed *Carlton and Gedling*
1 November 1896	Renamed *Carlton and Netherfield for Gedling and Colwick*
7 May 1973	Renamed *Carlton and Netherfield*
6 May 1974	Renamed *Carlton*
Passengers	
2015/16	▲ 36,344
2016/17	▲ 46,578
2017/18	▲ 54,316
2018/19	▲ 54,632
2019/20	▲ 57,552
Notes	

Passenger statistics from the Office of Rail and Road

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External links [edit source]

- Train times and station information for Carlton railway station from National Rail

Preceding station	National Rail	Following station
Nottingham	East Midlands Railway Nottingham-Lincoln Line	Burton Joyce

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